

Author: Mendoza Analyst: Jennifer Bettencourt Bill Number: AB 2291Related Bills: See prior Analysis Telephone: 845-5163 Amended Date: April 21, 2008Attorney: Patrick Kusiak Sponsor: _____**SUBJECT:** Low Cost/Free Spay-Neuter Fund

_____ ANALYSIS NOT REQUIRED of this bill – Not within scope of responsibility of this department.

_____ TECHNICAL BILL – No program or fiscal changes to existing program.

_____ BILL AS AMENDED NO LONGER WITHIN SCOPE of responsibility or program of the department.

_____ TECHNICAL AMENDMENT – No change in previously submitted analysis required. Approved position of prior analysis is _____.

_____ MINOR AMENDMENT – Remainder of previous analysis of the bill as amended

X April 8, 2008, still applies.

_____ MINOR AMENDMENT – No change in approved position of _____.
See Comments below

X OTHER – See comments below.

COMMENTS:

This bill would establish and add the Low Cost/Free Spay-Neuter Fund (Fund) to the personal income tax return as a voluntary contribution.

The April 21, 2008, amendments would add language to allow the Department of Food and Agriculture to use up to 5% of the Fund money for administrative costs incurred in connection with the Fund, and make a non-substantive technical change. These amendments would not impact the department's programs and operations or state income tax revenue.

The remainder of the department's analysis of the bill as amended April 8, 2008, still applies.

Board Position:

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